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Admiralty-Office, April 6, 1779.

Extract of a Letter from Captain Reynolds, of His Majesty's Ship Jupiter, to Mr. Stephens, dated at Plymouth, 2d Instant.

I LEFT Spithead Yesterday Morning. His Majesty's Sloop the Delight had proceeded from thence a few Hours before. About Eleven I perceived that Sloop engaged with a Privatier of Force, which struck to her about One o'Clock; the Particulars of which Captain Douglas has transmitted to their Lordships; in Addition to which I must beg Leave to observe, that the Behaviour of himself, Officers, and People, on this Occasion, does them much Credit. Upon communicating his Orders to me, I enabled the Sloop to proceed about Five o'Clock in the Afternoon. I have brought the Prize into Plymouth.

Copy of Captain Douglas's Letter, mentioned in the aforegoing.

Delight, off Portland, April 1, 1779.

AGreeable to the Orders I received from my Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, I left Spithead this Morning; and, off Dunnore, about Ten o'Clock, I fell in with and took the Jean Burt, a French Privatier of 20 Guns and about One Hundred and Ninety Men, which Ship engaged me for some Time, during which the Boatswain, Mr. Randall, was killed, and Two Men much wounded. The Jupiter afterwards coming up, and having communicated my Orders to Captain Reynolds, he immediately took the necessary Measures to enable me to proceed, without Loss of Time, to put their Lordships Commands in Execution. I must beg Leave to mention the good Behaviour of my Officers and People.

General Post-Office, January 19, 1779.

ON Saturday last the 16th Instant, about Six o'Clock in the Evening, the Post-Boy was attacked and robbed, at a Place called Priest's Bridge, about Four Miles North of Morpeth, of the whole Scotch Mail, and the Bags from Berwick, Belford, and Alnwick, which should have arrived here this Morning, by Two Footpads, armed with Bludgeons, who stopped the Boy, cut the Mails from the Cart, and immediately conveyed the same into a Wood adjoining, of whom no further Description can be given from the Darkness of the Night.

Whosoever shall apprehend and convict, or cause to be apprehended and convicted, both or either of the Persons who committed this Robbery, will be intitled to a Reward of TWO HUNDRED POUNDS, over and above the Reward given by Act of Parliament for apprehending Highwaymen: Or if any Person, whether an Accomplice in the said Robbery, or knowing thereof, shall make Discovery, whereby both or either of the Persons who committed the same may be apprehended and brought to Justice; such Discoverer will, upon Conviction of both or either of the Parties be intitled to the same Reward of TWO HUNDRED POUNDS, and will also receive His Majesty's most gracious Pardon.

By Command of the Postmaster-General,

Anth. Todd, *Secretary.*

General Post Office, February 22, 1779.

THE Post Boy, carrying the Mail which was dispatched from this Office last Friday Night, was robbed by two Footpads with Crapes over their Faces, on Saturday Night at Ten o'Clock, at the Bottom of Hack Lane near Long Compton, between Enstone and Shipstone in Oxfordshire, of the whole Mail, containing the following Bags, viz. Warwick, Stratford on Avon, Shipston on Stour, Ledbury, Hereford, Bromsgrove, Worcester, Stone, Newcastle under Line, Macclesfield, Middlewich, Holms Chaple, Knutsford, Manchester, Stockport, Liverpool, Warrington, Wigan, Preston, Blackburn, Lancaster-Kendall, Wolverhampton, Shrewsbury, Bridgnorth, Stafford, Shiffnal, Namptwich, Chester, Northop, Conway, St. Asaph, Bangor, Holyhead, and the Irish Mail.

The Persons, who committed this Robbery were small sized Men; but it being a dark foggy Night, the Boy cannot give any further Description of them.

Whoever shall apprehend and convict, or cause to be apprehended and convicted, both or either of the Persons who committed this Robbery, will be intitled to a Reward of TWO HUNDRED POUNDS, over and above the Reward given by Act of Parliament for apprehending of Highwaymen: Or, if any Person, whether an Accomplice in the said Robbery, or knowing thereof, shall make Discovery whereby both or either of the Persons who committed the same may be apprehended and brought to Justice, such Discoverer will, upon Conviction of both or either of the Parties, be intitled to the same Reward of TWO HUNDRED POUNDS, and will also receive His Majesty's most Gracious Pardon.

By Command of the Post-master General,

Anth. Todd, *Secretary.*

[Price Three-pence Halfpenny.]

Whitehall Treasury-Chambers, April 2, 1779.

THE Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury hereby give Notice, That they are ready to receive Proposals from any Person or Persons willing to supply Ammunition Bread, Wood, Straw, Hay, and Oats, for the Use of His Majesty's Troops to be encamped this Summer, and to be delivered in any of the South East Counties of England, from Devonshire on the West to Norfolk on the East, both inclusive, but whereof the chief Quantities will be wanted at or near the following Places, viz.

Plymouth	Maidstone
Salisbury	Billerica
Portsmouth	St. Edmondsbury

Which Proposals are to be delivered, sealed up and directed to either of their Lordships Secretaries, any Time on or before Thursday the 15th Instant.

Assurance Office, Serjeants-inn, Fleet street, April 6, 1779.

THE Corporation of the Amicable Society for a Perpetual Assurance Office doth hereby give Notice, that at Lady-day last, Old Stile, the several Members, or their Nominees, upon the Policies numbered as follow, viz. 12, 68, 72, 73, 180, 181, 295, 352, 353, 433, 516, 517, 519, 558, 560, 562, 601, 823, 993, 1112, 1113, 1115, 1140, 1170, 1358, 1429, 1616, 1631, 1668, *and* 1752, *were in Arrear in their Quarterly Payments or Contributions for One Year and One Quarter of a Year; and that unless such Arrears are paid off within the Space of Three Calendar Months after the Publication hereof, such several Members and their Nominees, and their respective Executors, Administrators and Assigns, will, by Virtue of the Supplemental Charter of the said Society, be absolutely excluded from all Benefit and Advantage from such Policies.*

Joseph Baldwin, *Register.*

East-India House, March 30, 1779.

THE Court of Directors of the United Company of Merchants of England trading to the East-Indies, do hereby give Notice,

That a General Court of the said Company will be held at their House in Leadenhall-Street, on Wednesday the 7th of April next, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon, further to consider the Cases of Captain Mears and Captain Bull, for not having registered Goods according to the 11th Bye-law.

East-India House, March 30, 1779.

THE Court of Directors of the United Company of Merchants of England trading to the East-Indies do hereby give Notice, in Pursuance of a Resolution of the General Court held this Day,

That a General Court of the said Company will be held at their House in Leadenhall-street, on Wednesday the 7th of April next, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon, to take into Consideration Motions proposed to be then made, for making certain Presents to the several Directors of this Company, by whom and under whose Authority Orders were given for attacking the French Settlement of Pondicherry in the East-Indies, and to the Governor of Madras and Commander in Chief of the Company's Forces there, by whom the said Orders were carried into Execution, and to the Admiral of His Majesty's Fleet assisting therein.

Very Proper for all Officers going to AMERICA, or the EAST-INDIES.

This Day is published,

Elegantly printed on a Royal Paper, in One Volume Quarto, illustrated with 25 large Plans curiously engraved,

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By COUNT TURPIN,

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Containing, among many other equally important Articles, The March of an Army in an open, a mountainous, and a woody Country. Encampments in offensive and defensive War. Method of escorting Convoys. Attack of an Army on the March in a mountainous or open Country. Convoys. Entrenched Camps. Passage of Rivers. Battles. Quarters and Cantonments. Advanced Detachments. Attack of the Quarters of an Army. Retreat on Miscarriage. General Principles for forming the Plan of a Campaign, &c. &c.

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Great Tower-street, March 22, 1779.

THE Partnership between Robert Bowyer and Isaac Field, of Great Tower-street, London, Wine-merchants, was, by mutual Consent, dissolved on the 27th Day of February last. The Business will now be carried on by Robert Bowyer; to whom all those who stand indebted to the said Copartnership are requested to pay their respective Debts, and all who have any Demand upon the same are desired to bring in their Claims, to the said Robert Bowyer, that they may be discharged.

Rob. Bowyer.
Isaac Field.

THE Partnership lately subsisting between Henry White and Edward Stroud, Weavers, in Addle-street, Aldermanbury, was dissolved on the 27th of December, 1777.

H. White.
Edw. Stroud.

THE Partnership between Thomas Sawkins and Robert Baynes the Younger, of Cheriton in the County of Southampton, Timber-merchants, is this Day dissolved by mutual Consent. Dated the 3d of April, 1779.

Thomas Sawkins.
R. Baynes, jun.

ALL Persons who have any Demands upon the Estate and Effects of the Right Honourable William Earl of Harrington, lately deceased, are desired forthwith to send an Account thereof to Mr. Frogatt, Lisle-street, Leicester-fields.

WHereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against David M'Cull ch, now or late of Manchester in the County of Lancaster, Linen-draper, Dealer, and Travelling Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners in the said Commission named, or the major Part of them, on the 19th and 20th Days of April instant, and on the 18th Day of May next, at Three in the Afternoon on each of the said Days, at the House of Isaac Cowgill, called the Spread Eagle, in Manchester aforesaid, and make a full Discovery and Disclosure of his Estate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to chuse Assignees, and at the last Sitting the said Bankrupt is required to finish his Examination, and the Creditors are to assent to or dissent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Persons indebted to the said Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to

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ay or deli ver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. William Fox, Attorney, in Mancheſter aforeſaid.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued againſt Robert Parkinſon, of Newport in the County of Salop, Tanner, and he being declared a Bankrupt is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 19th and 20th Days of April inſtant at Eleven in the Forenoon, and on the 18th Day of May next at Five in the Afternoon, at the Houſe of Mr. William Parks, the Red Lion Inn, in Newport, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſta e and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to chuſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh h s Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Thomas Dickenſon, of Newport afore aid.

THE Commiſſioners in a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt John Elliot, of the Pariſh of St. George Southwark in the County of Surry, Leatherſeller, intend to meet on the 14th Day of April inſtant, at One of the Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London; when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are deſired to come prepared to prove the ſame.

THE Commiſſioners in a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued againſt Abraham Portal and Harry Gearing, of Ludgate-hill, London, Silverſmiths and Copartners, intend to meet on the 20th Day of April inſtant, at Eleven of the Clock in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London; when and where the Creditors of the ſaid Abraham Portal, who are Holders of Securities made out in the Name of the ſaid Abraham Portal only, who have not already proved their Debts, are deſired to come and prove the ſame, purſuant to the Lord Chancellor's Order in that Matter.

THE Commiſſioners in a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued againſt John Dobſon and Joſeph Daltera, both of Liverpool in the County of Lancaſter, Merchants, (ſurviving Partners of John Walker, deceaſed) intend to meet on the 13th Day of April inſtant, at Ten in the Forenoon, at the Houſe of Mr. Forſhaw, the Golden Lion, in Dale-ſtreet, Liverpool aforeſaid; when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are deſired to come and prove the ſame.

THE Commiſſioners in a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued againſt Alexander Aberdein, of London, Inſurer, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 29th Day of April inſtant, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London, (not on the 28th of April inſtant, as before advertiſed) in order to make a Dividend of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are deſired to come and prove the ſame, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Dividend. And all Claims not then proved will be diſallowed.

THE Commiſſioners in a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued againſt William Smithers, of Tottenham-court-road in the Pariſh of St. Pancras in the County of Middleſex, Pavior, Scavenger, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 22d Day of May next, at Five of the Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a Dividend of the Eſtate and Effects of the ſaid Bankrupt; when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the ſame, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Dividend. And all Claims not then proved will be diſallowed.

THE Commiſſioners in a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued againſt James Rumſey, of the City of Briſtol, Grocer, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 3d Day of May next, at Four in the Afternoon, at the Buſh Tavern, in Corn-ſtreet, Briſtol, to make a Further Dividend of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the ſame, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Dividend. And all Claims not then proved will be diſallowed.

THE Commiſſioners in a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt John Stow, of the City of York, Silk-mercer, intend to meet on the 30th Day of April inſtant, at Eleven of the Clock in the Forenoon, at the York Tavern in the ſaid City of York, in order to make a Dividend of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the ſame, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Dividend. And all Claims not then proved will be diſallowed.

THE following Perſons being Fugitives for Debt, and beyond the Seas, on the TENTH Day of MARCH, One Thouſand Seven Hundred and Seventy-eight, and having ſurrendered themſelves to the Goalers or Keepers of the reſpective Goals or Priſons hereafter-mentioned, do hereby give this Public Notice, That they intend to take the Benefit of an Act of Parliament, paſſed in the Eighteenth Year of the Reign of His preſent Majeſty, intituled, *An Act for the Relief of Inſolvent Debtors; and for the Relief of Bankrupts in certain Caſes*; at the next General Special Seſſions, or General or Quarter Seſſions of the Peace, to be held in and for the County, Riding, Diviſion, City, Town, Liberty, or Place, or any Adjournment thereof, which ſhall happen next after TWENTY-ONE Days from the FIRST Publication of the undermentioned Names. And they do hereby give Notice, That true and perfect Schedules, containing a Diſcovery of all their Real and Perſonal Eſtate, (hereafter to be ſworn to) are now ready to be delivered to any Creditor applying for the ſame to the Gaolers or Keepers, or their Deputies, in ſuch Manner as by the ſaid Act is directed.

Fugitive ſurrendered to the Warden of His Majeſty's Priſon of the FLEET.

Second Notice.

Thomas Wilkins, formerly of Brackley in the County of Northampton, late of Boſton in New England in North America, Money-ſcrivener and Maltſter.

Fugitive ſurrendered to the Keeper of the KING's BENCH Priſon in the County of Surry.

Third Notice.

Gabriel Bluard, formerly of Queen ſtreet Golden-ſquare in the County of Middleſex, late of Dunkirk, Artificial Flower-maker.

Fugitive ſurrendered to the Keeper of WOODSTREET Compter, in the City of London.

Third Notice.

James Eveſtaffe formerly of Toddington in the County of Bedford, late of Tring in Hertfordſhire, Plumber.

N. B. If any Perſon in the foregoing Liſt of Priſoners ſhall find, on the Peruſal of this Gazette, that there is any Error, ſuch Error ſhall, upon Notice, be rectified in the next Gazette Gratis.

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